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Mr. Michael Patrick, P.E. Director, Waste Resources Division City of Chattanooga 455 Moccasin Bend Road Chattanooga, Tennessee 37405

Re: Approval of the Capacity Assurance Program U.S. District Court Civil Action 1:12-cv-00245

Dear Mr. Patrick:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region 4 and the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation have reviewed and hereby approve the revised Capacity Assurance Program (CAP) for the City of Chattanooga (the City) submitted October 3, 2016, pursuant to Section VI.20.h of the subject Consent Decree above. The City shall implement the CAP in accordance with the submittal. In addition, the City shall certify the status of the implementation of the CAP, including its completion, in the Semi-Annual or Annual Work Progress Report pursuant to Section IX of the subject Consent Decree.

Please contact Ms. Sara Janovitz at (404) 562-9870 or via email at janovitz.sara@epa.gov if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Maurice L. Horsey, IV, Chief

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